

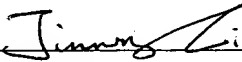


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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 25, 2001, please amend this application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

✓
Please insert the Abstract of the Disclosure set forth on the attached sheet.

IN THE CLAIMS

✓
Please cancel claims 1-7 without prejudice or disclaimer and replace them with the following new claims 8-16: ✓